







TABLE 1

Changes in Authorized Personnel Strength and On-Duty Strength of the
Economic Research Area, 1953-58

<u>Year</u>	<u>Authorized Ceiling Strength</u>	<u>% Change</u>	<u>Personnel On Duty</u>	<u>% Change</u>
1953	 25X9A2	---		---
1958		 25X9A2	 25X9A2	 25X9A2

NOTE: Figures for 1953 include D/E and D/Z, but exclude D/T and a portion of D/R engaged in duties no longer assigned to the ERA.

TABLE 2

Assignment of Personnel to New Responsibilities
of the Economic Research Area, 1953-58
(includes clerical personnel)

<u>New</u> <u>Responsibility</u>	^{5/1/0} <u>Personnel Assigned to</u> <u>Responsible Component</u>	<u>Estimated Supporting</u> <u>Personnel in Other Branches</u>	<u>Total ERA</u> <u>Personnel</u>
Military Cost Analysis	25X9A2		
Nuclear Energy			
Guided Missiles			
Economic Penetration			
NIS Program			
Current Support			
TOTAL			

* Personnel (not 1/0)

TABLE 3

Growth of Consumer Support in Research Activity
of Economic Research Area, FY 1955-58

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Percentage of Total Research* Allocated to:</u>	
	<u>Support Projects</u>	<u>Self-Initiated Projects</u>
1955	48.5	51.5
1956	57.8	42.2
1957	57.0	43.0
1958 (planned)	63.9	36.1

* Includes numbered project research time only; time devoted to consultation and support is not included.